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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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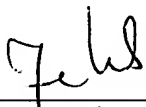
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Attorney Docket No. NRK.092

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Applicant: Carson L. LOOMIS et al.

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Application No.: 10/693,164

Group Art Unit: 1641

Filing Date: October 24, 2003

Examiner: Unassigned

Title: Method of Identifying Reduced  
Internalization Transmembrane  
Receptor Agonists

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

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Sir:

In complete response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) dated June 15, 2004 (a copy of which is enclosed), the following items are enclosed:

- [X] a Declaration for Utility or Design Patent Application signed by the inventors;
- [X] the surcharge of \$65.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e);
- [X] Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address Indication Forms;
- [X] Amendment to enter paper copy of "Sequence Listing" with a paper copy of the "Sequence Listing";
- [X] a copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.823(b) and 1.824;
- [X] a Declaration Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 stating that the content of the paper and computer readable copies of the "Sequence Listing" are the same as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f) and that the new submission, filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(g), does not include new matter; and
- [X] a Petition for Extension of Time.

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**The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-3218. This paper is submitted in duplicate.**

Respectfully submitted,

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**DECLARATION PURSUANT TO  
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I, Joshua T. Elliott, declare as follows:

1. That the content of the paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing, submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same in compliance with § 1.821(f).

2. That the submission, filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g), herein does not include new matter.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements were made on information and belief and are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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